

THIAGARAJAR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

TNEA CODE: 5008

Institution Profile Matrix

Short Name	TCE
Type	Government-Aided Autonomous Engineering College
Established	1957
Location	Thiruparankundram, Madurai
Affiliated University	Anna University, Chennai
Admission Route	TNEA – Tamil Nadu Engineering Admissions
Gender Profile	Co-educational



FOUNDING & INSTITUTIONAL HERITAGE

Leadership Panel

Founder: Late Shri Karumuttu Thiagarajan Chettiar

Managing Trust: Kalaithanthai Karumuttu Thiagaraja Chettiar Memorial Charitable Trust

Stated Mission: "where Quality and Ethics matter"

1957

Institution founded.

1978

B.E. Electronics and Communication Engineering and M.Sc. Applied Mathematics introduced.

1987

Autonomous status conferred.

Around 2014

B.E. and M.E. in Mechatronics introduced.

1958

B.E. programmes in Civil, Mechanical, and Electrical Engineering introduced; affiliated to the University of Madras.

1984

B.E. Computer Science and Engineering introduced.

Late 1990s

Program-level NBA accreditation begins.

REGULATORY STATUS & ACCREDITATION

NATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCREDITATION COUNCIL (NAAC)		
Accreditation Status: ACCREDITED	A++ GRADE	CGPA: 3.56 out of 4.00
Cycle: Cycle 2		Assessment Year: 2024

INSTITUTIONAL RANKINGS

National Institutional Ranking
Framework (NIRF) – Engineering
Category

2025

101–150

rank band

2024

101–150

rank band

National Institutional Ranking
Framework (NIRF) – Architecture &
Planning

2025

Rank 33

rank

2024

Rank 25

rank

Times Higher Education
Rankings

2024

1201–1500

global university ranking band

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS (TNEA 2026)

Branch	Code	Intake	Year Started	NBA Status
B.E. Civil Engineering	CE		1958	
B.E. Mechanical Engineering	ME		1958	
B.E. Electrical and Electronics Engineering	EE		1958	
B.E. Electronics and Communication Engineering	EC		1978	
B.E. Computer Science and Engineering	CS		1984	
B.Tech Information Technology	IT			
B.E. Mechatronics Engineering	MC		Around 2014	
B.E. / B.Tech Computer Science and Business Systems*	CB			

*Emerging New-Age Branch (2018+)

FACULTY PROFILE

213

TOTAL ENGINEERING FACULTY

CAMPUS INFRASTRUCTURE & CONNECTIVITY



Area

Approximately 143 acres



Residential Facilities

Boys' Hostel: TCE Men's Hostel (located on campus at Thiruparankundram)

Girls' Hostel: TCE Ladies Hostel (associated with the campus)



Regional Connectivity

Nearest Railway Station: Madurai Junction railway station

Local Transit: Local city buses serve the Thiruparankundram / TCE stop.

SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL ACCESS

Government of Tamil Nadu Social Justice Scholarships

Eligibility: Applicable to eligible Tamil Nadu students admitted under state reservation categories (e.g., SC/ST, BC/MBC/DNC). Administered through state departments.

Central / National Scholarships

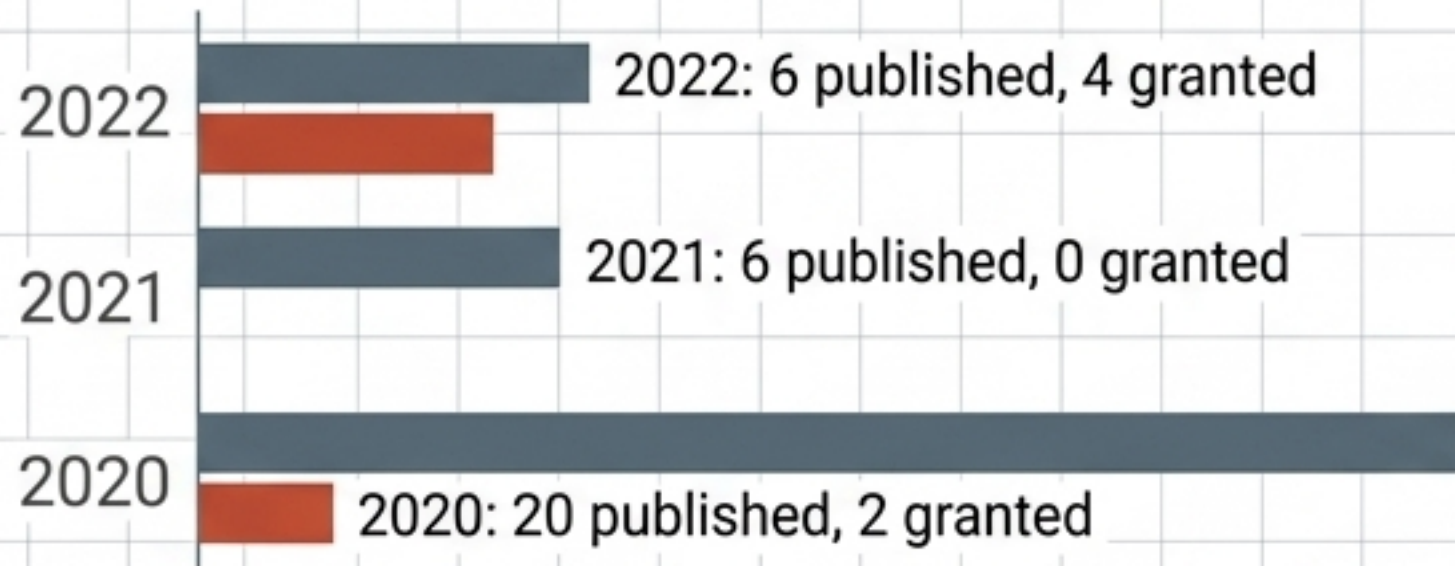
Eligibility: Available to eligible students as per respective central schemes (e.g., minority, post-matric).

Institutional / Alumni Scholarships

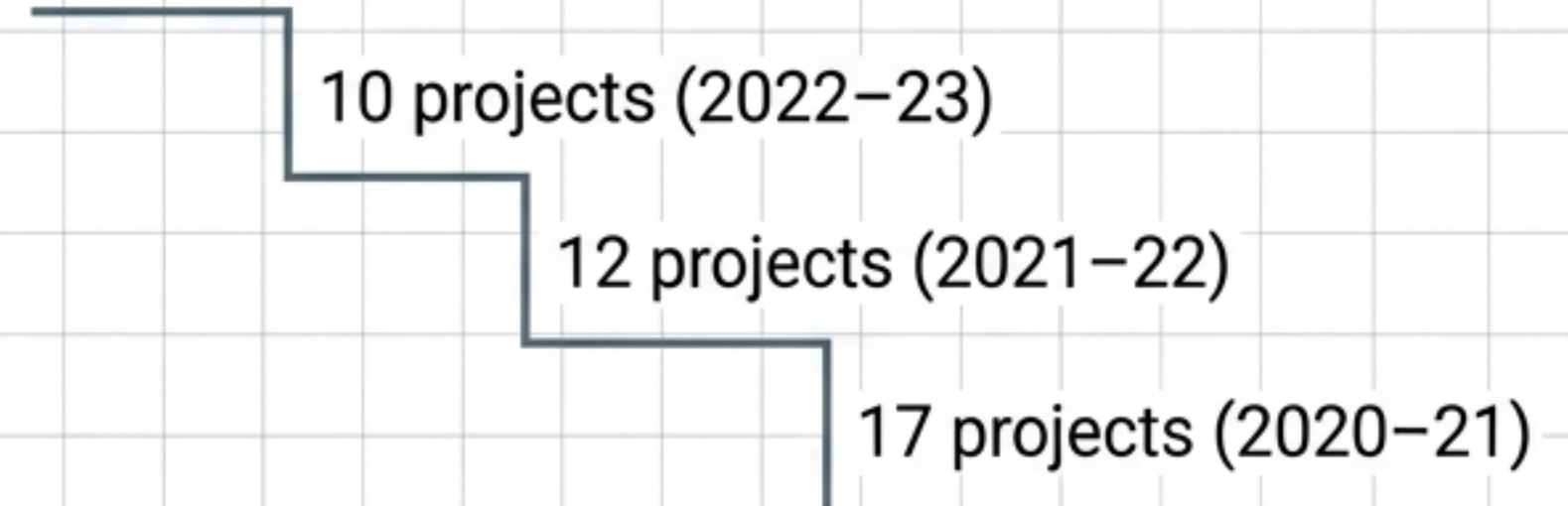
Eligibility: Merit-cum-means and other criteria as defined by TCE and its alumni initiatives.

RESEARCH & INDUSTRY ECOSYSTEM

Research Output (Patents 2020–2022)



Sponsored Research Projects



Funding Bodies

Funded projects supported by agencies including:

DST | AICTE | DRDO

Centres & Industry Collaboration

Notable Centres:

Thiagarajar Advanced Research Centre (TARC)
Technology Business Incubator (TBI)

MOU Partners:

TVS Motors

NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS

Institutional Distinctions



NAAC Re-accreditation: Awarded **A++ grade** (CGPA **3.56/4**) by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in 2024.



National Architecture Ranking: Ranked **25** in 2024 and **33** in **2025** by the Ministry of Education – NIRF.



Global Recognition: Placed in the **1201–1500** global band by Times Higher Education in 2024.



Research Economics: Consistent sponsored-research funding (approx. 0.96–1.36 crore per year) and consultancy income (approx. 0.99–1.31 crore per year) spanning 2021 to 2023.

Information sourced from the college's official website, TNEA portal, and government data sources as available at time of preparation. Verify with official portals before admission decisions.

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